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CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): Black, Murdo M.

For : Test Member

Enclosed are:

1. Benefit of Prior U.S. Application (35 USC 119(e))

X The new application being transmitted claims the benefit of a U.S. provisional application Serial No. 60/220,527 filed July 24, 2000.

2. The Papers Required For Filing Under 37 CFR 1.53:

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| <u>6</u> | Pages of Specification |
| <u>1</u> | Pages of Abstract |
| <u>2</u> | Pages of Claims |
| <u>1</u> | Sheets of Drawing |

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In addition to the above papers there is also attached:

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| <u> </u> | Pages of an Amendment |
| <u>X</u> | Return Receipt Postcard |
| <u> </u> | Information Disclosure Statement with <u> </u> copies of references. |

8. Fee Calculation

CLAIMS AS FILED

| | Number Filed | Provided with Basic Fee | Number Extra | Rate | Basic Fee \$710 |
|--|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------|------------|--------------------|
| Total Claims | 12 | 20 | 0 | X \$18.00 | \$.00 |
| Independent Claims | 1 | 3 | 0 | X \$80.00 | \$.00 |
| Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any | 0 | 0 | 0 | X \$270.00 | \$.00 |

_____ Amendment canceling extra claims enclosed

_____ Amendment deleting multiple dependencies enclosed

_____ Fee for extra claims is not being paid at this time

Filing Fee Calculation

\$ 710.00

9. Small Entity Statement

_____ verified statement that this is a filing by a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is attached.

Filing Fee Calculation (50% of above)

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10. Fee Payment Being Made At This Time

_____ Enclosed

_____ basic filing fee

\$ _____

Total fees enclosed

\$ _____

11. Method of Payment of Fees

_____ check in the amount of \$ _____

12. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees

 X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees which may be required to Account No. 18-1829;

 X 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees and presentation of extra claims)

 X 37 CFR 1.17 (application processing fees)

 37 CFR 1.18 (issue fee at or before Mailing of Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.311(b)).

13. Instructions As To Overpayment

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